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TITLE OF INVENTION: ATTENUATION OR TERMINATION ELEMENT HAVING A COAXIAL STRUCTURE FOR HIGH-FREQUENCY

ELECTROMAGNETIC WAVES

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